

Travel Risk TRIPS Planning System TRIPS For Your Trips!

This March, Soldiers will notice something different about the tool they've come to depend on for assessing risk during POV trips. What was formerly known as ASMIS-2 is now the Travel Risk Planning System, or TRiPS, and it's been adopted across the Department of Defense for use by the Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force. The name change and expanded reach doesn't change the tool's value, however. Soldiers will continue to input and receive hazard and risk mitigation information based on their trip specifics, including vehicle type, driver age, destination, seat belt use and more. However, supervisors will have more oversight thanks to a new feature that allows them to view the activity of their subordinates two levels down, thereby expanding leadership engagement and awareness.

TRiPS was implemented in the Army as ASMIS in 2004 and to date, Soldiers have completed more than 1,783,000 assessments with only six fatalities reported during assessed trips. In the year since the Navy released TRiPS, no fatalities have been reported among the nearly 30,000 Sailors registered for assessments. These statistics show fatal POV mishaps might be less likely among service members who use the tool. For more information or to register for TRiPS, visit the U.S. Army Combat Readiness Center's Web site at https://crc.army.mil.

